

104 Calle De La Cruz
San Juan
Puerto Rico

HABS No. PR-64

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE Puerto Rico	COUNTY -----	TOWN OR VICINITY San Juan
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) 104 Calle De La Cruz (House)		HABS NO. PR-64
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE none (but originally 20 Calle De La Cruz)		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) same as historic name		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) precise ^{date} \wedge not known (18th century)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) not known	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Excellent example of a fine town house of 18th century San Juan. Typical of this building type, businesses occupy spaces at ground level near the street with families living in spaces beyond and on other levels.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE) not applicable		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) Bearing wall masonry of brick, stone and earth with stucco finish. The structural system is wall bearing and beam system		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) 37' x 148'		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Most notable exterior features are two fine balconies supported by cantilevered wood beams, cast iron columns support the balcony roof of wood frame and corrugated sheet metal. The balustrade is cast iron.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) The stairway is exceptionally fine, with marble treads and wood or concrete nosing and fragments of tile risers.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES beyond the addition of electric lighting not known \wedge		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE good appearance. Two small businesses at ground level near the street and tenants above.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) Above based on report prepared by F. Blair Reeves, HABS, San Juan, 1966		
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